**17:60:05:01  Applications accompanied by signed statement.** All applications for executive clemency shall be accompanied by a written statement signed by the applicant setting forth what the applicant believes to be a reasonable and realistic recommendation the board might make to the Governor. This statement may include any plea the applicant may desire to make in support of the application. A personal appearance may be required by the board.

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